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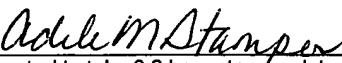
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See 37 CFR 1.27

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	770	201 385 Utility filing fee	
106	340	206 170 Design filing fee	
107	530	207 265 Plant filing fee	
108	770	208 385 Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214 80 Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	40	-34** = 6 X \$18	= \$108
Independent Claims	7	-6** = 1 X \$86	= \$86
Multiple Dependent			

Large Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee Code	Fee Description
103	18	203 9 Claims in excess of 20
102	86	202 43 Independent claims in excess of 3
104	290	204 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	86	209 43 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130 Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520 For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
112	920*	112	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55 Extension for reply within first month	\$110.00
116	420	200	210 Extension for reply within second month	
117	950	475	465 Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,480	740	725 Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	2,010	228	1005 Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	330	219	165 Notice of Appeal	
120	330	220	165 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	290	221	145 Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,330	241	665 Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,330	242	665 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	480	243	240 Design issue fee	
144	640	244	320 Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50 Processing fee under 37 CR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126	180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	770	246	385 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	770	249	385 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.29(b))	
179	770	279	385 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify) _____				

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